

**Public Participation Opportunity**  
**Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC)**  
**Division of Water Pollution Control**  
**Notice Requesting Public Comments on Draft**

**Monday, May 07, 2007**

Public Notice Number: **MMVII-009**

Public Notice Expiration Date: **June 11, 2007**

*The purpose of this notice is to advise the public of the following draft environmental permits and to solicit comments and information necessary to evaluate the potential impact of the proposed activities on human health and the environment. A list of Notices of Intent (NOIs) that were recently received by the DWPC is available on our web page:*  
*[www.tdec.net/wpc/ppo/](http://www.tdec.net/wpc/ppo/)*

**Individual NPDES Permit for Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations**

***Proposed New Issuances***

Applicant name	<b>Agee Farm LLC</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>JCM</b>	Discharger rating	<b>Minor</b>
Permit number	<b>TN0080110</b>	EFO Name	<b>Jackson</b>		
County	Dyer				
Street Address/Location	Hopewell Road				
City and Zip Code	Dyer, TN				
Description of activity	Two barn (2480 pigs each) CAFO				
Effluent description					
Receiving stream	Unnamed tributary to Squirt Creek				
Facility latitude	36.073	Facility longitude	-89.091		

## Individual NPDES Permits

### *Proposed Reissuances*

Applicant name **Bartlett STP No. 1**  
Permit number **TN0066800** Permit Writer Initials **MTS** Discharger rating **Major**  
County **Shelby** EFO Name **Memphis**  
Street Address/Location **6230 Old Brownsville Road**  
City and Zip Code **Bartlett, TN 38134**  
Description of activity **Treatment of municipal sewage**  
Effluent description **treated municipal wastewater from Outfall 001**  
Receiving stream **Loosahatchie River Mile 18.4**  
Facility latitude **35.285555** Facility longitude **-89.840833**

Applicant name **Grundy County - Tracy Mfg. Co.**  
Permit number **TN0059331** Permit Writer Initials **JAH** Discharger rating **Minor**  
County **Grundy** EFO Name **Chattanooga**  
Street Address/Location **Lake Road**  
City and Zip Code **Tracy City, TN 37387**  
Description of activity **Treatment of domestic sewage**  
Effluent description **treated domestic wastewater from Outfall 001**  
Receiving stream **dry ditch at mile 0.08 to an unnamed tributary at mile 0.04 to Little Fiery Gizzard Creek at mile 2.6**  
Facility latitude **35.261667** Facility longitude **-85.722500**

Applicant name **Humboldt Board of Public Utilities STP**  
Permit number **TN0062588** Permit Writer Initials **MTS** Discharger rating **Major**  
County **Gibson** EFO Name **Jackson**  
Street Address/Location **410 South 3rd Avenue**  
City and Zip Code **Humboldt, TN 38343**  
Description of activity **Treatment of municipal sewage**  
Effluent description **treated municipal wastewater from Outfall 001**  
Receiving stream **Middle Fork Forked Deer River Mile 23.4**  
Facility latitude **35.809444** Facility longitude **-88.937500**

Applicant name **Unisys Corp. - Earhart Site**  
Permit number **TN0064106** Permit Writer Initials **JAH** Discharger rating **Minor**  
County **Sullivan** EFO Name **Johnson City**  
Street Address/Location **Bristol**  
City and Zip Code **Bristol, TN 37620**  
Description of activity **Treatment of contaminated groundwater**  
Effluent description **treated groundwater from Outfall 001**  
Receiving stream **unnamed tributary to Back Creek at mile 1.4 to Beaver Creek**  
Facility latitude **36.535833** Facility longitude **-82.266111**

Applicant name **Vietti Foods Company, Inc.**  
Permit number **TN0074781** Permit Writer Initials **SEF** Discharger rating **Minor**  
County Davidson EFO Name **Nashville**  
Street Address/Location 636 Southgate Avenue  
City and Zip Code Nashville, TN 37204  
Description of activity Manufacturer of canned meat products  
Effluent description non-contact cooling water from Outfall 001  
Receiving stream Browns Creek via Metropolitan Nashville storm sewer  
Facility latitude 36.136944 Facility longitude -86.755278

### ***Proposed Terminations***

Applicant name **Van Buren County High School**  
Permit number **TN0065013** Permit Writer Initials **HVA** Discharger rating **Minor**  
County Van Buren EFO Name **Cookeville**  
Street Address/Location Sparta Street  
City and Zip Code Spencer, TN 38585  
Description of activity Septic tank and sand filter system IS now connected to Spencer STP.  
Effluent description treated domestic wastewater from Outfall 001  
Receiving stream unnamed tributary at mile 1.2 to Laurel Creek at mile 8.7  
Facility latitude 35.751666 Facility longitude -85.466666

## **Individual Inter-Basin Water Transfer Permit**

### ***Proposed Modifications***

Applicant name **City of Gallatin, Department of Public Utilities**  
Permit number **IWT000006** Permit Writer Initials **JCM** Discharger rating **Minor**  
County Sumner EFO Name **Nashville**  
Street Address/Location 239 Hancock Street  
City and Zip Code Gallatin, TN 37066  
Description of activity Inter-basin transfer of 0.75 million of gallons of water per day from Lower Cumberland River Basin into Barren River Basin  
Effluent description to transfer an additional 0.25 MGD of water  
Receiving stream Barren  
Facility latitude 36.381388 Facility longitude -86.454444

## State Operation Permits

### *Proposed New Issuances*

Applicant name	<b>Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc. - Norton Creek - Hickory Gap STP</b>				
Permit number	<b>SOP-07021</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>HVA</b>	Discharger rating	<b>Minor</b>
County	Sevier	EFO Name	<b>Knoxville</b>		
Street Address/Location	Gatlinburg TN				
City and Zip Code	Gatlinburg, TN 37738				
Description of activity	Septic tanks, effluent collection system, recirculating trickling filter and drip irrigation				
Wastewater description	No discharge allowed from this system				
Adjacent receiving stream	N/A				
Facility latitude	35.728305	Facility longitude	-83.55775		
Applicant name	<b>Consolidated Utility District of Rutherford County - Davenport Station Subdivision</b>				
Permit number	<b>SOP-07026</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>HVA</b>	Discharger rating	<b>Minor</b>
County	Rutherford	EFO Name	<b>Nashville</b>		
Street Address/Location	Along Hwy 231 just west of Rucker Road				
City and Zip Code	Murfreesboro, TN 37129				
Description of activity	Septic tank, effluent collection, recirculating sand filter and 49 acre drip irrigation				
Wastewater description	No discharge allowed from this system				
Adjacent receiving stream	N/A.				
Facility latitude	35.7583333	Facility longitude	-86.408333		
Applicant name	<b>USDA Forest Service - Ocoee Whitewater Center</b>				
Permit number	<b>SOP-07028</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>HVA</b>	Discharger rating	<b>Minor</b>
County	Polk	EFO Name	<b>Chattanooga</b>		
Street Address/Location	4400 Highway 64				
City and Zip Code	Copperhill, TN 37317				
Description of activity	Pump and Haul of domestic wastewater to the Cleveland STP				
Wastewater description	No discharge allowed from this system				
Adjacent receiving stream	N/A				
Facility latitude			Facility longitude		

Applicant name **Mitchell Creek Marina, LLC**  
Permit number **SOP-07031** Permit Writer Initials **HVA** Discharger rating **Minor**  
County **Clay** EFO Name **Cookeville**  
Street Address/Location **1260 Livingston Boat Dock Road**  
City and Zip Code **Allons, TN 38541**  
Description of activity **Pump and haul domestic waster to the City of Celina STP**  
Wastewater description **No discharge allowed from this system**  
Adjacent receiving stream **N/A**  
Facility latitude **36.5155556** Facility longitude **-85.3855556**

### ***Proposed Reissuances***

Applicant name **Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc. - Falling Waters**  
Permit number **SOP-02023** Permit Writer Initials **HVA** Discharger rating **Minor**  
County **Sevier** EFO Name **Knoxville**  
Street Address/Location **Caney Creek Road**  
City and Zip Code **Pigeon Forge, TN 37863**  
Description of activity **Septic tanks, effluent collection system, AdvanTex recirculating textile media filter by drip irrigation**  
Wastewater description **No discharge allowed from this system**  
Adjacent receiving stream **N/A**  
Facility latitude **35.760833** Facility longitude **-83.533611**

Applicant name **Davy Crockett Birth Place State Park**  
Permit number **SOP-86044** Permit Writer Initials **SEF** Discharger rating **Minor**  
County **Greene** EFO Name **Johnson City**  
Street Address/Location **1245 Davy Crockett Park Road**  
City and Zip Code **Limestone, TN 37681**  
Description of activity **Lagoon holding pond for swimming pool filter backwash water**  
Wastewater description **No discharge allowed**  
Adjacent receiving stream **adjacent to Nolichucky River at mile 68.3**  
Facility latitude **36.209444** Facility longitude **-82.660000**

## **POTW - Pretreatment Program Approvals:**

### **None**

The Division of Water Pollution Control is authorized to approve local POTW Pretreatment Programs for the administration and enforcement of the National Pretreatment Standards of Performance for industrial users of the respective Publicly Owned Treatment Works listed in this notice. Additionally, the POTW Programs are required to prevent the introduction of pollutants into the POTW's which will interfere with their operation, including the use or disposal of sludge, and prevent the introduction of pollutants into the POTW's which will pass through the treatment works or be otherwise incompatible. All POTW Pretreatment Programs approved are in accordance with the Tennessee Water Quality Control Act, the federal Clean Water Act, and appropriate regulations.

### **End of List**

### **How to Comment:**

TDEC is requesting public comment on this permit action. Obtaining a broad range of facts and opinions on Agency actions is one of the best ways to ensure quality decisions. Persons wishing to comment on the proposed action are invited to submit comments in writing to the Division of Water Pollution Control at 6th Floor, L&C Tower, 401 Church Street, Nashville, TN 37243, Attn: Public Notice Coordinator, by fax number (615) 532-0686, or by E-mail at [environment@state.tn.us](mailto:environment@state.tn.us). Comments must be received by the end of comment period date (see Page 1).

### **How to Request a Public Hearing:**

Interested persons may request in writing that the Director of the Division of Water Pollution Control hold a public hearing on any application. The request must be filed within the comment period and must indicate the interest of the party filing it and the reasons why such a hearing is warranted. When there is significant public interest for a hearing, a hearing will be conducted according to Division of Water Pollution Control Rule 1200-4-5-.06(12). Public hearings will be announced through another public notice.

### **How the Department will Proceed:**

The Director of the Division of Water Pollution Control will determine the final permit action after considering comments submitted during the comment period, the hearing record, if any, and the requirements of the Federal and State acts and regulations.

### **To Obtain Permit Details:**

Draft permits or decisions regarding applications submitted to TDEC may be available electronically on the TDEC Internet site: <http://www.state.tn.us/environment>. Copies of the application(s) and draft permit(s) are also available for public inspection by contacting TDEC at [environment@state.tn.us](mailto:environment@state.tn.us), by calling 1-888-891-TDEC (8332), or by visiting following locations during normal business hours:

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540 McCallie Avenue, Suite 550

Chattanooga, TN 37402 -2013

(423) 634-5745

Bledsoe, Bradley, Grundy, Hamilton, Marion, McMinn, Meigs, Polk, Rhea, Sequatchie

Environmental Field Office - Columbia

2484 Park Plus Drive

Columbia, TN 38506

(931) 380-3371

Bedford, Coffee, Franklin, Giles, Hickman, Lawrence, Lewis, Lincoln, Marshall, Maury, Moore, Perry, Wayne

Environmental Field Office - Cookeville  
1221 South Willow Avenue  
Cookeville, TN 38401  
(931) 432-4015

Environmental Field Office - Jackson  
1625 Hollywood Drive  
Jackson, TN 38305  
(731) 512-1300  
Benton, Carroll, Chester, Crockett, Decatur, De Kalb, Dyer, Gibson, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson,  
Henry, Lake, Lauderdale, Madison, McNairy, Obion, Weakley

Environmental Field Office - Johnson City  
2305 Silverdale Road  
Johnson City, TN 37601  
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3711 Middlebrook Pike  
Knoxville, TN 37921  
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Morgan, Roane, Scott, Sevier, Union

Environmental Field Office - Memphis  
2510 Mt. Moriah Road, Suite E-645  
Memphis, TN 38115 -1511  
(901) 368-7939  
Fayette, Shelby, Tipton

Environmental Field Office - Nashville  
711 R.S. Gass Boulevard  
Nashville, TN 37243 -1550  
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Trousdale, Williamson, Wilson

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#### **State of Tennessee Antidegradation Policy:**

Antidegradation determinations have been made in regard to the permits referenced in this Public Notice. Tennessee's Antidegradation Statement is found in Chapter 1200-4-3-.06 of the Rules of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation. The primary purpose of the antidegradation policy is to establish a greater level of protection for those waters that are identified to be of high quality. Generally, there are two types of high quality waters. Some high quality waters are those at near pristine conditions. These outstanding National Resource Waters (ORNWs), or Tier 3 waters, are specifically designated by the Water Quality Control Board and are afforded the greatest level of protection. No new discharges or expansion of existing discharges are allowed to result in degradation of the existing water quality. Others are determined to be high quality due to specialized uses and/or unique features and are identified by the Department as Tier 2 waters and are also protected against degradation.

Some degradation may be allowed only if the Water Quality Control Board deems it economically and socially necessary. Other surface waters not specifically identified and/or designated as high quality are referred to as Tier 1 waters. Generally, new discharges or increases in existing discharges may be allowed in Tier 1 waters. The Division of Water Pollution Control's evaluation of such discharges may include the following provisions:

- The proposed lowering of water quality by the discharge is necessary for economic growth or community benefit; the proposed discharge can not be mitigated by reasonable pollution prevention measures; and
- There is no other reasonable non-discharge alternative available to prevent the new/increased discharge to Tier 1 waters.

In all cases, the proposed discharge must meet water quality standards and fully protect all classified uses. Information used by the Division of Water Pollution Control in evaluating any of the above provisions is available upon request.

#### **State of Tennessee Policy of Non-Discrimination:**

Pursuant to the State of Tennessee's policy of non-discrimination, the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, religion, color, national or ethnic origin, age, disability, or military service in its policies, or in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its programs, services or activities. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action inquiries or complaints should be directed to the EEO/AA Coordinator, Office of General Counsel, 401 Church Street, 20th Floor L & C Tower, Nashville, TN 37243, 1-888-867-7455. ADA inquiries or complaints should be directed to the ADA Coordinator, Human Resources Division, 401 Church Street, 12th Floor L & C Tower, Nashville, TN 37243, 1-866-253-5827. Hearing impaired callers may use the Tennessee Relay Service (1-800-848-0298).

**Please bring this notice to the attention of persons you believe will be interested.**

Cannon, Clay, Cumberland, Fentress, Jackson, Macon, Overton, Pickett, Putnam, Smith, Van Buren, Warren, White